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SUBJECT: ESCAP 31ST SESSION: GUAM MATTER

NEW DELHI FOR USDEL FERGUSON

REF: NEW DELHI 3049

1. SUBJECT TO FOLLOWING COMMENTS WE ARE QUITE AGREEABLE TO PROPOSED STATEMENT BY GOVERNOR BORDALLO IN CONTEXT AGENDA ITEM ON TYPHOON COMMITTEE, AND WE HOPE WITH YOU THAT THIS MIGHT SOMEHOW HELP YOU IN TRYING TO COOL HIM ON LOBBYING FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBER STATUS. (STATE 44496)

2. WE HAVE NO PROBLEM WITH REQUEST THAT STATISTICAL DATA ON GUAM'S ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONDITIONS "AND PROGRESS"  
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(WHICH WE WOULD ADD TO DRAFT) BE INCLUDED IN SUMMARIZED

DATA ON ESCAP REGION. (SEE OPARA 5 BELOW)

3. WITH RESPECT TO POSSIBLE USG HOSTSHIP OF FUTURE MEETINGS OF "THIS BODY" ON GUAM, IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS REFERS TO ESCAP PLENARY OR TYPHOON COMMITTEE, OR IS PERHAPS PURPOSELY NON-SPECIFIC SO AS TO INCLUDE OTHER SUBORDINATE BODIES OF ESCAP. HOSTSHIP FOR ESCAP PLENARY WOULD RAISE PROBLEMS (INCLUDING EXPENSE, ADEQUACY OF CONFERENCE FACILITIES, ACCOMMODATIONS, ETC.) THAT WE

ARE UNABLE TO DETERMINE IN TIME TO MEET YOUR IMMEDIATE REQUIREMENTS FOR COMMENTS ON BORDALLO'S STATEMENT. HOSTSHIP FOR TYPHOON COMMITTEE WOULD BE FAR MORE FEASIBLE FROM ADMINISTRATIVE POINT OF VIEW (E.G. LAST MEETING OF THIS OPEN-ENDED COMMITTEE WAS ATTENDED BY DELEGATIONS FROM 14 GOVERNMENTS AND UN ORGANIZATIONS TOTALLING 40 PERSONS IN ALL, PLUS 8 SECRETARIAT AND 3 INTERPRETER PERSONNEL); HOWEVER, THERE ARE CERTAIN TECHNICAL PROBLEMS, IN ADDITION TO WHICH U.S. PARTICIPATES IN COMMITTEE AS OBSERVER RATHER THAN MEMBER. WE THEREFORE SUGGEST THAT INVITATION TO A SPECIFIC BODY BE AVOIDED AND THAT PHRASEOLOGY BE REVISED SO AS TO MAKE CLEAR SIMPLY THAT USG WOULD BE PLEASED SOMETIME IN THE FUTURE TO PLAY HOST IN GUAM TO A MEETING OF AN ESCAP COMMITTEE YET TO BE DETERMINED. IT SHOULD BE CLEAR THAT HOST WOULD BE USG, ALTHOUGH IT WOULD BE QUITE ACCEPTABLE TO ADD REMARK ABOUT GUAM'S OWN SATISFACTION IN HAVING MEETING THERE.

3. FOR BACKGROUND WE CITE EXAMPLE OF 23RD SESSION OF WHO REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR WESTERN PACIFIC, 1972, WHICH WAS HELD ON GUAM AT INVITATION OF USG. IN THIS CASE, U.S. DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES OF TERRITORY OF GUAM, BUT THIS PRECEDENT WOULD NOT NECESSARILY HOLD FOR OTHER ENTITIES.

4. PLEASE IMPRESS ON BORDALLO THAT ANY FIRM COMMITMENT TO HOST MEETING WOULD INTER ALIA NECESSITATE PRIOR INCLUSION IN BUDGET REQUEST, NECESSITATING CONSIDERABLE LEAD TIME.

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5. WITH RESPECT TO STATISTICS ON GUAM (PARA 2) WE BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE CONSISTENCY IN GIVING SIMILAR COVERAGE TO OTHER DEPENDENCIES OF REGION THAT ARE NOT ASSOCIATE MEMBERS. HOWEVER, WE LEAVE IT TO YOU TO DECIDE WHETHER THIS SHOULD BE ADDED TO BORDALLO'S STATEMENT OR TAKEN UP SEPARATELY. INGERSOLL

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